

Living Into Baptismal Vows

Resident Camp: July 4-9, 2016 at Camp Cotubic (Bellevue, OH)

When children are baptized or dedicated at our church, the whole congregation makes a promise to participate in “teaching them to obey everything that I (Jesus) have commanded you” (Mt 28:20) as they grow up. At Resident Camp this summer we have a variety of exciting ways adults can live into these baptismal vows for children and youth in our church family, as well as share God’s love with children and families in the College Hill community who do not yet know Jesus.

Resident Camp is a lot of work to pull off each summer. It takes countless hours to plan lessons, schedules, activities, and more. However, we continue to prioritize this ministry each year because it gives us the opportunity to spend about 96 hours building into and discipling each child who attends. That’s equal to almost two years of Sunday school!

We invite and challenge each member of our congregation to live into the commitment they’ve made to raise our children in the way of Jesus by partnering with us in the ministry of Resident Camp this summer. Here are the ways you can get involved:

1. **Camp Counselor** – You’ll be assigned to care for and build relationships with 8-10 kids of a specific age group (finishing 2nd-6th grade) along with at least one other co-counselor. This is a week-long commitment (July 3-9) where you will stay in a cabin with your campers. We offer a stipend of \$350, but also welcome counselors who volunteer their time.
2. **Work Crew Leader** – Come build relationships with Jr. High students (finishing 7th-9th grade)! The Work Crew does a project for the camp and supports activities for younger campers, but also participates in their own small group Bible study times and adventure activities. This is a week-long commitment (July 3-9) where you will stay in a cabin with the Work Crew.
3. **Camp Support Staff** – Extra adults are needed at camp to spend time with campers who need one-on-one attention and to be available to provide transportation for campers who are sent home early due to behavior issues. Your commitment could be for just one day, a few days, or the entire week. If you stay the night, there are hotel-style rooms with private bathrooms in the camp lodge, so you can still help in this way even if you aren’t the “camping” type!
4. **Transportation** – Many families who would like to send their children to camp do not have a car to drive them there. We need adults from our congregation to commit to driving a family (the kids and at least one parent/guardian) to camp on Monday, July 4th and home from camp on Saturday, July 9th. Camp Cotubic is about two hours away from CHPC, and both drives will be in the early afternoon. This is a great way to get connected with a new family who may not have a church home!
5. **Scholarships** – We don’t want cost to keep any child from coming to camp! The full cost for each camper to attend Resident Camp this summer is \$375. Please prayerfully consider if you are able to bless a family with a partial or full camp scholarship for their child. Checks can be made out to CHPC and credit card donations are also accepted. Please contact Heather Lethander (513-541-5676 ext. 1119) to make a donation.



Most importantly, we ask everyone to pray for God to work in powerful ways in the lives of our children and youth at camp!

There is an insert in your bulletin that makes it easy to respond to this invitation. Simply fill out your name and contact information, and check the box next to any option you are interested in learning more about. You may turn in your form by placing it in the offering plate or in the box labeled “Resident Camp Ministry Partners” at the Front Desk. There is no commitment or obligation involved at this stage—we will contact you to talk more about how you can help.

Thank you for considering this important opportunity to show our children and youth what it looks like to follow Jesus!



CSO CLASSICAL ROOTS
CINCINNATI SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Friday, April 29 at 7:30pm Music Hall

Join us for an uplifting celebration of the musical heritage that has inspired millions, featuring the CSO Classical Roots Community Mass Choir (which includes CHPC members) and the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra. This event sells out early.

Experience this roof-raising, uplifting, **one-night-only** performance, which trembles with the force of a **full orchestra** and **150-member community mass choir**. There really is nothing like it in our great city.

Buy your tickets at
cincinnati-symphony.org/classicalroots.
513-381-3300

Use Code 16309 and a portion of your ticket price will come right back to CHPC.

Children & Youth Helpers in Worship

Children ages Kindergarten through third grade are invited to a Children’s Worship service each week. Start off with your families in both the 9am and 11:15am service, then listen for the announcement dismissing the kids to their special service. Just before the sermon, children will be dismissed to their special study and worship time.

This week’s helpers are:
9:00am Aiden M.
11:15am Sarah & Jared L.

Next week’s helpers are:
9:00am Elizabeth D.
11:15am Ian & Joshua S.
Dryer Family will greet

BRAVE - Adult Spiritual Formation

By William Custer

Today we will begin a 6 week All-Church and City-Wide Journey during the 10:10 hour. **We will meet in Fellowship Hall.** By All-Church Journey we mean that we invite the whole church to participate in this journey. By City-Wide we mean that many churches in the city will be doing the same. The City-Wide emphasis has the effect of uniting Christians from many church backgrounds.

To be part of the All-Church Journey there is no need to sign up; rather come to Fellowship Hall at 10:10 today and join a group there. Next week, 10:10 groups will meet in individual rooms at church.

Brave Parents Parenting elementary aged children group will continue to meet during the middle hour for normal parenting material. There will be a brave group comprised of members of the class that will meet on Friday evenings at 5:30pm for potluck dinner at rotating houses starting April 8th. Contact Andrew Wells at awells@chpc.org to get more info and location.

Home Groups Several home groups have been formed. We encourage folks to organize groups outside of the church (homes, work places, coffee shops, etc) and invite unchurched folks to participate. We also will be having groups during the Foundation hour. If you are willing to host or lead either of these, contact Joe Koize at the ASF registration desk in the Atrium, or e-mail William.Custer2@gmail.com or call the church office. As in previous years, materials for group leaders will be provided.



“LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION” POLICY
When parking, remember to keep your valuables and all parcels out of sight safely locked in your trunk. Thieves can even see through dark tinted glass. Don’t tempt!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GIVE OUTSIDE THE PLATE CHPC now provides Online Giving – a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy – just visit <http://chpc.org> and click our **GIVE NOW!** button. Your gift will transfer directly into our CHPC Bank account.

Freeing the Family Workshop If you have never experienced this course, it's time! Friday, April 15 5-8 pm and Saturday, April 16 9am – 5pm. Cost: \$25 for supplies, dinner Friday and lunch Saturday. (scholarships available). Taught by Pamela Hanson, MD Sign up early! jschneider@chpc.org or 513-541-5676, x1160

Our global workers Joerg and Lisa Schmidt will be in the Fireside Room Sunday April 17 between services to greet you and share about their work with refugees in Germany. If you are not part of a Brave Journey 2 small group, please stop by!

You are invited to hear Joerg and Lisa Schmidt tell about their work with refugees in Germany. Join us for a potluck lunch at 12:45 pm, Sunday April 17, in Belwood Apartments Great Room (back door), 1776 Larch Ave. in College Hill. Main dish is provided; please bring a salad or dessert. The Schmidts will begin speaking at 1:30 pm and will finish by 2:45 pm. RSVP or questions to Mary Sue Verhagen 513-541-7829.

Do you want to receive congregation prayer requests? Join the E – Prayer Chain by signing up on the home page at chpc.org. Enter your email address in the box right under the opening paragraph.

IGNITE 33 is a gathering of men. We will meet on Wednesday nights starting April 13th at 6pm. Come discuss authentic manhood and what it means to be a man in today's world. Contact Joe Brooks (joebro777@gmail.com) or Brian Kershner (kershner_b@yahoo.com) for more information.

Nursery Help Needed! Adult help is needed at the 11:15am service during the month of May. Please contact Robyn (513-505-3041 or rhubbuch@chpc.org) if you are able to serve in this way at least once that month.

Mentors needed for summer interns! We're looking for a few mature believers who would like to pour into high school and college age students who are working as Children, Youth and Family Interns. You'd meet every other week this summer to pray with, encourage, and challenge your student. Please pray if God wants you to be one of these mentors, and contact Robyn or Andrew if you feel God is saying yes!

OSU Survey On March 9th, you should have received an email from CHPC about a survey being taken about Religious Leadership and Diversity. Thank you to all who have clicked through and taken the survey. If you haven't had the chance yet, you are still invited to participate. Please go to www.rldp.net/survey. We will send another reminder via email this week, with the invitation and link.

Help FUEL the church!! Please check out the Ministry Partner board on Main Street or online. We have a lot of opportunities to help FUEL/serve the church. Some tasks may only take 30 minutes of your time, others may be a bit larger. We need help with the Welcome Table the 1st and 4th Sunday of the month. Contact Michelle Hemsath 541-5676 ext 1123 or mhemsath@chpc.org if interested.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

CRASH (7-9th grade) and Huddles (10-12th grade) will both meet tonight.

The April BLAST (K-6) Theme is Perseverance: "refusing to give up when life gets hard," and our memory verse is Isaiah 40:31: "But those who trust in the Lord will receive new strength. They will fly as high as eagles. They will run and not get tired. They will walk and not grow weak." Please pray this month that our children would learn to rely on God for strength. Resources for both parents and kids are available on the BLAST page of the CYF website: <http://chpccyf.weebly.com/blast.html>.

Mulch Madness is back! The 7th annual CHPC Youth Mulch Madness Sale is a fund-raiser for our 7-12th graders to earn money toward two trips this summer. This year they will be headed to Tuskegee, Alabama, June 12-17 to work with Alabama Rural Ministry doing home construction/improvement projects for residents and lead a Day Camp for area children. There will also be a group of 7-9th graders working at Camp Cotubic in Bellefontaine, OH, July 3-8th. These students will do work projects around the camp and support the week-long camp that children from Christ's Community Camp in College Hill will attend that week. Support the students going on these trips by picking up your mulch order form at the front desk and returning by April 17th. Your mulch can be picked up or delivered on April 23 & 24th. Email Andrew for more information or to be emailed an order form awells@chpc.org.

CYF Summer Trips! The following forms for our summer trips are now available on the Summer page of the CYF website: <http://chpccyf.weebly.com/summer-2016.html>:
-Overnight Camp Registration Form (finishing grades 1-2)
-Resident Camp Registration Form (finishing grades 2-6)
-Resident Camp Work Crew Application (finishing grades 7-9)
-Resident Camp Counselor Application (finishing grades 10-12 or adult)
-The Alabama Experiment Application (finishing grades 7-12)

SERVING IN OUR COMMUNITY

Spring for cards and send notes that lift spirits and bring smiles! Greeting and note cards, lists and more are on sale now on Main Street. 3Cs Nursery School student art is featured and all proceeds go to the 3Cs Foundation. \$5 per dozen for stationery, \$5 for refrigerator lists. Questions? Call Maggie Smith at 821-6147.

JOINING THE CHPC FAMILY

If you are interested in becoming a member at CHPC, our next New Covenant Partner Orientation Classes are:
Sundays Today, April 10, 17, 24 at 10:10am.
To sign up or if you have questions contact:
Michelle at 541-5676 Ext. 1123
or mhemsath@chpc.org or
Pastor Dennis at Ext. 1122 or dhall@chpc.org

Prayer Page

"... without ceasing I remember you always in my prayers," Romans 1:9

CHPC Community

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Danny Holian US Navy Pilot	Will Connor US Army
Joey Nieberding US Army	Peter & Amanda Leugers US Navy
Gus Carpenter US Marines	Andrew Deiters US Marines

College/Career Students

Tim Rice	Jacob Russell
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April 3, 2016
BRAVE
Adventure
Preaching: Rev. Dennis Hall

Welcome to College Hill Presbyterian Church

Thank you for worshiping with us today. Single, married, with children or not, there are many opportunities for knowing Christ, worshiping, personal growth and discipleship, service and ministry within the church and beyond the walls.

Visitors - Stop by the welcome table or the desk in the Atrium to find out more about College Hill Presbyterian. Return and become part of this dynamic Church Family.

Upcoming Services

April 10	BRAVE - Storm
April 17	BRAVE - Power
April 24	BRAVE - Leap
May 1	BRAVE - Brave Life
May 8	BRAVE - Summary

Today's Order of Worship

Prelude
Call To Worship / Opening Prayer
Songs of Praise
Dismiss Children
Scripture & Sermon
Pastoral Prayer
Healing Stations
Communion
Offering
Announcements
Charge and Blessing
Postlude

Available Help

Ushers have copies of the song lyrics for the 9am service. Ushers can also provide help with wheelchairs and equipment for hearing assistance. Handicapped accessible restrooms are located off the exit hallway to the right side of the main platform. This exit also leads to handicapped parking spaces.

